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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicant submits the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

No representations are made as to the completeness of this list, nor is the submission of these references an admission that they are prior art or relevant to the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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